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Mentally unsound man creates ruckus in city

The mentally-deranged man being shifted to K.R. Hospital. Picture right shows Venkatappa Shetty who was hit by a stone.

Mysuru, Oct. 8 (MTY&BCT)- A mentally-deranged person created ruckus in city this morning by throwing stones at seven vehicles and injuring over eight persons. The Police and the public had a tough time in controlling the man who had a huge physique. Finally he was over-powered and hospitalised.

The incident occurred at around 8 am near the Srimanmaharaja Samskrita Pathashala Circle when all of a sudden a man threw stones at four moving KSRTC buses, one truck and two cars. The man was well-built and was speaking fluent English and Kannada and was running across roads, stoning the vehicles. Over eight persons sustained injuries and have been admitted to different hospitals.

After pelting stones, the man hit an 80-year-old Venkatappa Shetty from Saragur who was walking on a footpath. Shetty, who trades silk saree borders, had come to the city in a KSRTC bus from Saragur this morning.

(See MAN on page 8)

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Elocution contest for High School and College students at Zoo

Mysuru, Oct. 8- Mysuru Zoo is organising an elocution competition for High School and College students at Zoo auditorium on Oct. 10.

Students can speak either in English or Kannada. Only 4 members for each category from each institution will be allowed. Intending participants should bring the letter from the Institution compulsorily. Last date for registering the names is Oct. 9 by 5 pm. However, interested participants may directly register their names on the spot on Oct. 10 one hour before the scheduled time.

The timings and topic for elocution is as under: 10 am to 1 pm (Topic: Forests for Water) for High School students; 3 pm to 5 pm (Topic: Forests for Water) for College students.

EDITOR'S BOTTOMLINE

IT'S WIT OFF THE CUFF: ***Sometime ago, I was subjected to the indignity of being frisked at the venue of a Union Minister's public meeting. Nettled, I asked the grim-faced security guard what he was searching for. "Hidden arms!" he snapped.***

"Well, mine aren't!" I said, flapping my skinny extensions, and had the supreme satisfaction of seeing his hardened jaw break into a sheepish grin.

Then, I once heard an adman, a true professional, offer this classic piece of advice to an entrepreneur who was planning to launch a small-scale business: "Doing business without advertising is like winking at a girl in the dark. You know what you're doing, but no one else does!"

A few years back, a neighbour's headstrong daughter, just out of college, had a tiff with her well-intentioned parents who were trying to counsel her in regard to a suitable career. "I don't like being dictated to!" she snapped irritably and stormed out of the room. She went on to become a stenographer.

And, during the unprecedented water shortage, a friend tells me that he met his Waterloo one day in one of our waterless public loos.

—George N. Netto in Deccan Herald

NEWS SPARKLERS

Goes blind after playing non stop mobile game!

Dongguan: A 21-year-old woman from Dongguan, China, was recently diagnosed with retinal artery obstruction in her right eye, after playing a popular smartphone game almost non-stop.

The woman, known as Wu, apparently noticed that she couldn't see anything with her right eye on Oct. 1, while playing her favourite mobile game, 'King of Glory.' Her parents took her to the hospital, where she was diagnosed with a serious condition known as retinal artery obstruction. Doctors said that Wu's eyes were incredibly fatigued by the stressed of constantly staring into the small smartphone screen. Wu admitted that she had probably spent a little more time on her phone. On a regular day, she would come from work and start playing without any breaks for seven or eight hours straight. After Wu's case went viral, ophthalmologists used the opportunity to remind people to take frequent breaks from computer and mobile screens to relax the eyes and relieve stress.

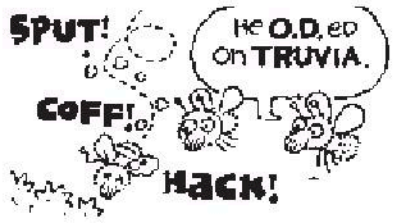
Tail-Wagging Robot Pillow

Tokyo: If you sometimes feel the need to stroke a pet, but don't actually want the responsibilities that come with owning a pet, this tail-wagging robot pillow is probably just what you've been waiting for.

Developed by Japanese company Yukai Engineering Co, Qoobo is a two-pound robotic pillow that sits on your lap and wags its fluffy tail when you pet it. Some are allergic to cats and dogs, live in an apartment that doesn't allow real pets, or just hate things like meowing, some people just want to stroke their pet and see them wagging their tail. And that's where Qoobo comes in. The bizarre robotic pet was unveiled at the CEATEC 2017 trade show, and is expected to become commercially available next summer, for around $100. Its creators claim that Qoobo has an eight-hour battery life and can be recharged by USB. Its main feature is the robotic tail, which apparently moves differently depending on the way you pet it. The "headless cat" also vibrates when you stroke it, emulating the rumble of a purring feline.

HEALTH CAPSULE by Bron Smith

Is Truvia a safe sweetener?



Truvia, a sweetener made from erythritol, has been found to be toxic to fruit flies. So if it kills fruit flies, should humans be using it? "Probably not," says study author Daniel Marenda. Erythritol has been approved as a sweetener by the FDA since 2001.

**Health Capsules is not intended to be of a diagnostic nature.*

Workshop on 'Effective Communication in Media' on Oct.10

Mysuru, Oct. 8- The Department of Communication and Journalism, St. Joseph's First Grade College, Jayalakshmipuram, has organised a one-day State-level workshop on 'Effective Communication in Media' for all the undergraduate students on Oct. 10 in the college premises.

The main objective of this workshop is to nourish effective writing and presenting skills among the journalism students. Students from around 15 colleges from various districts are taking part in the workshop.

Dr. Niranjan Vanalli, Registrar, Music University, Mysuru, will be the chief guest. Rev. Fr.Vijay Kumar, Secretary and Correspondent, Mysore Diocesan Educational Society (MDES), will preside. Rev.Fr. Praveen Kumar, Priest in Charge, St. Mathais and St. Joseph's Institution, Prof. Mani, CEO, St.Joseph's Colleges and Dr. V. Niveditha, Principal and HoD, will be present.

Dr. Farhan Zameer, Assistant Professor, Dayananda Sagar University, Bengaluru and Soft Skill Trainer, will deliver the valedictory address.

Janapada Jhenkara: Folk musical event in city on Oct. 14

Mysuru, Oct.8- Renowned folk singer Gururaj Hosakote will present a *'Janapada Jhenkara'* programme at Kalamandira in city on Oct.14 (Saturday) at 5.30 pm.

Addressing press persons at Pathrakarthara Bhavan recently, he said that the event was organised to create awareness about folk music among the youths.

Gururaj said that he would be travelling across 30 districts of the State to hold similar programmes and added that his tour which starts from Mysuru would end in Bidar. He also added that after the Bidar concert, he would retire from his singing profession.

Really...?

- ***Upon reaching adulthood, the male flabby whalefish fuses its mouth shut and stops feeding. It loses its stomach and esophagus and uses the energy from previous meals to grow a massive liver which supports the fish for life.***
- ***The blobfish actually looks as normal as any other fish. It just decompresses when its taken out of extreme depths in which it lives.***
- ***In 1923, jockey Frank Hayes won a race at Belmont Park in New York despite being dead — he suffered a heart attack mid-race, but his body stayed in the saddle until his horse crossed the line for a 20–1 outsider victory.***

LAUGHTER THE BEST MEDICINE

Tony was walking on the road and paused to read the graffiti on the wall.
It read, *"Padne waala gadha."* ***(One who reads it is an ass).***
Tony thought for an hour, erased it and wrote back, *"Likhne waala gadha."* ***(One who wrote it is an ass)!***

Today's Currency Rate

1 US Dollar	= Rs. 65.38
1 UK Pound	Rs. 85.43
1 UAE Dirham	= Rs. 17.79
1 Euro	= Rs. 76.70

VOICE OF THE READER

Careless Tempo drivers

Sir,

After auto drivers, now it is the turn of the tempo drivers who have started parking their vehicles in bus bays and blocking the movement of other vehicles.

Recently one such incident was recorded in Temple Road, V.V. Mohalla, wherein a tempo driver parked his vehicle in a bus bay at the bus stop located opposite V.V. Puram Police Station *(see photo)*.

As a result, the city bus driver stopped his vehicle on the other half of the road, thus blocking the movement of other vehicles. This also caused hardship to the commuters to get into the city bus.

This practice needs to be curtailed. It is agreed that tempo drivers also need to survive by earning, but they should not cause hardship to the commuters by parking in bus bays. They may stop little away from the bus stops and call the passengers to get into their vehicles. Tempo and auto drivers too need to follow all road safety rules.

—Dr. S.V.N. Vijayendra
Mysuru
30.9.2017

This Road crying for attention

Sir,

The Main Akbar Road from Ragi Mandi Chowk to Mandi Market is crying for repair since last three months. The surface is uneven. There are jolts and jerks in the moving carriage. People prefer to walk on foot and this is also not easy as one might fall at any step.

During rains there are pools of stagnant water which are a breeding ground for mosquitoes. There is also a constant danger of outbreak of some diseases. It has also been causing traffic jams during the peak hours.

I hope the authorities concerned will initiate expeditious steps to ensure a good formation of the road in our area.

—R. Chandana
Mysuru
30.9.2017

Registration

Mysuru, Oct. 8- The Mysuru District Kannada Sahitya Parishat has invited applications from people interested in setting up bookstalls and commercial stalls during the 83rd Akhila Bharata Kannada Sahitya Sammelana to be held in Mysuru between Nov. 24 and 26. Interested may register their names between Oct. 10 to Nov. 10, 2017 by paying Rs. 2,500 for bookstalls and Rs. 3,000 for commercial stalls.

For registration, visit the District Sahitya Parishat's office located near the Kote Anjaneyaswamy Temple with the DD. For details, contact A. Devaraju on Mob: 91648-37773 or Tara on Mob: 81476-89219.

Former VCs Forum ready to assist KSOU to get UGC recognition back

Mysuru, Oct. 8 (NNN)- Forum of Former Vice-Chancellors of Karnataka State Universities (FVCK) has come forward to assist the Karnataka State Open University (KSOU) to resolve the issues facing lakhs of students regarding their degree certificates and marks cards.

In a statement, the Vice-President of FVCK Prof. P. Venkataramaih has said that the KSOU had been offering higher education over the years to lakhs of persons who had missed it for various reasons and had become quite famous because of the quality education it provided.

"Unfortunately since 2015 KSOU is in the red due to the cancellation of recognition of all the academic programmes based on alleged irregularities committed by the University violating the norms, guidelines of the earlier Distance Education Council (DEC) and now Distance Education Board (DEB) under University Grants Commission (UGC). Since UGC has taken the extreme decision of withdrawing the recognition to all the courses offered by KSOU, the allegations appear to be quite serious," he has said in the release.

However, the FVCK has demanded that the KSOU, which is offering distance education, should not be closed for any reasons. The State Government and the KSOU officials should make all efforts to get the re-affiliation from the UGC at least from 2017-18 academic year.

The Forum of Ex-Vice-Chancellors will come out with a solution to the students of 2012-13 batch onwards who have

passed the exams, said Prof. Venkataramaiah in the release.

Former Vice-Chancellor Prof. S.N. Hegde, the President of FVCK, speaking to *Star of Mysore*, yesterday said, "The idea of closing down KSOU is not correct at all and that too the Higher Education Minister talking about it is sending wrong signals. There is always a solution to any difficult problem and we as former VCs have some ideas of resolving them."

According to Prof. Hegde, one solution could be that for those who have passed the exams in the earlier batches, a eligibility test could be conducted to sanctify the certificates issued to them so that they would be able to take the competitive exams or apply for jobs.

He also revealed that though the FVCK was ready to offer its services and guidance, the present KSOU VC had not approached them even once. "With our vast collective knowledge and experience, we are always there to guide the educational institutions. However, in this case, seeing the plight of the KSOU students, we decided to voluntarily do something about it," said Prof. Hegde.

Celebrating birthday by planting saplings

Rotary Mysore celebrated the 75th birthday of Past District Governor and well-known industrialist R. Guru by planting 75 saplings at Rotary School in Dattagalli. Seen in the picture are** (from left) **S.V. Sreedhar, Rotary Mysore President K.R. Shanthamurthy, Mysore Palace Secretary Lakshminarayan, S.L. Ramachandra of Gopika Agarbathis, Sulochana Guru, industrialist and Birthday Boy R. Guru, Ajay Singh, M.C.S. Manohar, Koti Vruksha Srikanth Bhat and Raghulal Raghavan.

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NEWS BRIEFS

Praja Parivartana party inauguration

The newly formed Praja Parivartana party will come into existence at a rally to take place at National College Grounds, Basavanagudi, Bengaluru at 11 am, tomorrow (Oct.9) For details, contact Mob: 99863-90042 or 91415-50481.

Postal Week celebration

Department of Posts will be organising Postal Week celebrations from Oct. 9 to 15. As a part of the celebrations, the Department has organised 'Mail Day' on Oct. 14 between 4.30 pm and 5.30 pm in association with 'Mahila Vishesha' Kannada women's Weekly Newspaper. The programme will be inaugurated by Department of Post Senior Superintendent N.Prakash. Deputy Post Master P.R. Vijay will be the chief guest. 'Mahila Vishesha' Newspaper Editor H.V. Subbarao will preside. Subramanya and Ramprasad, retired employees of Postal Department will be felicitated on the occasion.

Bone Mineral Density test camp

JSS Ayurveda Hospital, Lalithadripura Road, Alanahalli, has organised a Bone Mineral Density test camp at its premises on Oct.9 from 9 am to 1pm. For details, contact Ph: 0821-2548231/433.

Free cancer screening camp

Narayana Multi-speciality Hospital has organised free Oral, Head and Neck cancer screening camp and consultation with Oncology Surgeon at its premises on Oct. 9 between 10 am and 3 pm. For registration contact Mob: 95380-52378.

Debate Competition

JSS Mahavidyapeeta has organised a debate competition for inmates of various girls' hostels in city at JSS Women's Hostel premises in Saraswathipuram, on Oct.11 at 10.30 am. The topic for the contest: 'Joint Family is more helpful for peaceful living' (Kannada). Last date for registration is Oct. 10. For details, contact Mob: 96866-66244.

Election of new office-bearers

The election of new Executive Committee of Shramika Pattina Sahakara Sangha Niyamitha, to be held at Govt. High School Manchegowdanakoppal, Abhisheka Circle, Hebbal on Oct. 22 from 9 am to 4 pm. Nominations to various posts can be filed from Oct. 8 to 14 from 11am to 3pm at office premises located near Abhishek Circle, M.G. Koppal, according to a press release.

Black Nandi statue atop Chamundi Hill turns White !

The Nandi statue atop Chamundi Hill, turns white after the cleaning. Picture right shows the oil-accumulated Black Nandi statue.

Mysuru, Oct. 8 (MTY&BCT)- The majestic Nandi statue on the way to Chamundi Hill has turned white from black, surprising tourists and visitors who have been seeing it since ages.

Reason: The Archaeological Department has cleaned the statue using high-power water jets, washing off oil and other deposits that had accumulated on it since years.

The monolithic statue of Nandi is a major tourist attraction. The statue, reckoned to be at least 350 years old, was sculpted during the period of Dodda Devaraja Wadiyar who ruled from 1659 to 1673 and is the only one of its kind in the State. The statue is 3,489 ft above sea level.

Though Nandi is found adorning Shiva temples, this is one of the few standalone statues, measuring about 15 ft in height and 24 ft in width, carved out of a single boulder.

Easily accessed either by road or steps, tourists usually stop by the statue for a photo opportunity with the statue crouching on a cement base surrounded by a black, iron gate.

Following reports in a section of media that chemicals have been used to clean the statue, the Archaeology Department officials have clarified that they have not used a drop of chemical to clean the structure. "We have used high-power water jets to clean the oil deposits on the statue that had turned it black. As it is a heritage structure, we have been very careful while using high-pressure water too," said S.R. Venkatesh, Assistant Executive Engineer, Department of Archaeology. High-speed water jets are commonly used to clean stone structures all over the country and the department has followed standard operating procedure and the statue has not been polished as reported in the media, the officer said.

"The centuries-old structure, after being built, was rubbed with coconut oil to prevent it from cracking. Also, since many years, rituals like *Abhishekas* were performed on the statue. This had resulted layers of deposits of oil, dirt and dust on the statue that had turned black due to environmental heat. The colour of the statue has now changed as it is clean," Venkatesh said.

These days devotees get various types of *Kumkum* and Turmeric that have been prepared using harmful chemicals and they are bright in colours. "These colours cause damage to the statue and at the same time cause skin diseases. These chemicals can potentially lead to cracks on the statue and we request devotees not to bring such chemicals here," he added.

Shredded currency notes filled in sacks found in Mandya

Fake currency notes racket suspected

Mandya, Oct. 8 (KS)- Two sacks containing shredded currency notes with a face value of Rs. 100 and Rs. 500 were found in Ragimuddanahalli in the taluk on Saturday.

Yesterday morning, a few pieces of notes were found scattered on the road by the villagers as the sacks damaged by cattle and the villagers informed the Police, who rushed to the spot.

The sacks containing shredded currency notes were found lying near the farm of one Ningegowda since two days, but nobody had noticed them. It is suspected that fake currency note racketeers may have dumped the sacks near the farm.

The sack contained new Rs. 500 shredded currency notes which has led to the doubt that it could be fake.

Mandya Rural Sub-Inspector Azharuddin, who has registered a case in this regard said that the originality of the shredded currencies can be ascertained only after tests.

City Court sentences two for raping minor girl

Convicts sentenced to 20 years imprisonment and Rs. 24,000 fine

Mysuru,Oct.8 (SPN&KS)- City's Seventh Additional District and Session Court yesterday sentenced two persons to 20 years of imprisonment besides imposing a fine of Rs. 24,000 each of them for raping a minor girl in 2012.

Those convicted have been identified as 28-year-old Chethan and 27-year-old Vasantha of Basavarajapura in K.R. Nagar taluk. They convicted for raping a minor girl in Basavarajapura, on Sept.1, 2012.

The duo had attacked the girl and her boyfriend when they were resting near Chethan's farm. They had chased away the boy after snatching his mobile phone and raped the girl.

Chethan and his friend Vasantha were arrested on charges of gang rape by K.R. Nagar Police within hours of committing the crime. However, the two were out on bail after serving two and half years in judicial custody.

As per the judgement, 20% of the total compensation should be paid to the boy and the rest to the girl as both were eligible for compensation under Central Victim Compensation Fund (CVCF). Public Prosecutor Mahanthappa argued on behalf of the victims.

City engineering student dies after inhaling geyser gas

Mysuru, Oct. 8 (RK&KS) - A 21-year-old girl student died after inhaling gas leaked from a geyser at her Paying Guest (PG) accommodation here on Friday morning.

The student has been identified as Meghana, a native of Alaganadoddi village, Kollegal taluk in Chamarajanagar district, who was staying in a PG accommodation at Mathura Nagar near Metagalli here and was pursuing her final year Engineering course at an Engineering college in city.

On Friday morning, Meghana went for a bath before leaving for college but did not come out even after an hour.

Other inmates at the PG accommodation knocked the door of the bathroom and called her but did not get any response, forcing them to break open the door only to find Meghana lying unconscious on the bathroom floor.

They immediately rushed her to a hospital nearby, but Meghana reportedly breathed her last on the way. Metagalli Inspector Sunil Kumar, who has registered a case in this regard, is investigating.

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SPECIAL INTERVIEW...

I have lived a fine, comfortable and colourful life, says Poet Prof. K.S. Nissar Ahmed-1

Poets are in that rarefied atmosphere where most of the times a majority of readers do not understand what they write. However, the fact is that the sensitivity and sensibilities they display in their poems do touch the hearts of millions. Their popularity soars when their poems become signature songs like Rabindranath Tagore's *'Jana Gana Mana'* ***or Kuvempu's*** *'Jaya Bharatha Jananiya…'* ***To this league belongs Nadoja and Nityotsava poet Professor Kokkare Hosahalli Shekh Haider Nissar Ahmed, popular as Prof. K.S. Nissar Ahmed, who inaugurated this year's Dasara festivities.***

Despite his busy schedule, Prof. Nissar Ahmed took time off to speak to *Star of Mysore* ***Features Editor N. Niranjan Nikam at the Government Guest House. In this rare, exclusive and candid interview, he spoke in fluent English about Kuvempu, his childhood, his views on current issues and the reasons why he wrote some of the well-known poems like*** *'Nityotsava', 'Kurigalu Saar Kurigalu', 'America America'* ***and*** *'Mysore Zoo'.—**Ed***

Noted Poet Prof. K.S. Nissar Ahmed

By N. Niranjan Nikam

"If I write for others, I must write in a way that they can understand. Otherwise, I must burn it."

Star of Mysore (SOM): You inaugurated the 407th Dasara though that honour has always been of a Hindu. How does it feel?

Prof. Nissar Ahmed: *(Bit annoyed)* This question is irrelevant. I feel nice. Only when you understand another religion you really understand your own religion. Unless you have respect and sympathy for other religions, you will not be able to like your own religion. Anyway such questions are politically motivated.

SOM: Every Mysurean is happy that you were chosen. After all, you were invited to read your poems at Dasara Kavi Goshti here in 1959. Kuvempu heard you and the rest as they say is history. Please comment.

Prof. Nissar Ahmed: It was a unique occasion. It was fortuitous too. I myself could not believe when I got this offer. The then Regional Commissioner Venkatesh sent a telegram to AIR Station Director because I was anonymous. Just then I had completed my M.Sc. and I was jobless. I used to go to AIR programmes often so they had my contact. They sent one telegram to K.S. Nissar Ahmed, C/o Station Director, All India Radio, Bangalore. That telegram was given to me by AIR staff artiste A.S. Murthy.

SOM: Oh A.S. Murthy! Sir, he used to write for *Mysooru Mithra,* ***our sister publication.***

Prof.Nissar Ahmed: Yes, yes. I saw the telegram. It asked me to participate in the Kavi Sammelana on Vijayadashami Day, in 1959, presided over by Rashtrakavi Kuvempu at Rangacharlu Memorial Hall at 9.30 am.

Only two days were left and I was puzzled. Then, a friend of mine N.S. Venkatram, who is now no more, told me that he would take me to Mysore. I was scared as I did not have a single paise in my pocket. I was scared to ask my father as he would scold me. So it was my friend who brought me to Mysore. I read a poem and Kuvempu was kind enough to recognise me and said "he read a poem three days back in AIR Bangalore along with me."

It was a memorable event and it was for the very first time I participated in a public function. From then, I started coming to Mysore and attended several functions. Prof. Ha.Ma. Nayak would invite me often and I was invited to release many books by people including R.V. Sundaram. Also, several of my books have been released here.

I have received several awards including Vishwamanava Prashashti in the name of Kuvempu and Bhramara Trust Award instituted by Madhuri Thathachari. Her husband Y.T. Thathachari was a Distinguished Scientist. I was the Chairman of Karnataka Sahitya Parishat when the first Vishwa Kannada Sammelana was held in Mysore in 1985. I conducted the first-ever meeting at Kalamandira which was half-built then. It was a three-day programme. On the first day, Kuvempu presided over the poetry symposium and he was reluctant to come. I told him I would not go out of his house until he accepted the invitation. I have made several friends in Mysore like Chayapathy, Pushpa Chayapathy, Kalanidhi, Thippeswamy, Yogeshwar and many more.

SOM: Majority of us find it very difficult to understand poetry. For instance, the title of the collection of poems that was released on Sept.20, 2017 is called *'Seemateetana Sirivanta Suggi.'* ***But when your poems are sung, it resonates and touches the chord. How does this happen?***

Prof. Nissar Ahmed: Thank you very much. May be I write about your feelings also and not only my feelings. My feelings are not important, but yours are. And I feel what you feel. I feel joyous when you appreciate. And I feel even better when I come to know several people are singing my poems.

Secondly, I have never ever compromised about my expression. Being a Navya poet too, I never became ambiguous. My reader should understand whatever I write. Poems can have highly intellectual meaning or it might not be a good poem. But it should convey the message and that is more important to me.

In Navya Kavya, there is no such thing as conveying. They used to write according to their own fancies and say it requires intellect to decipher the meaning. I said nothing doing. If I write for others, I must write in a way that they can understand. Otherwise, I must burn it. Why should I publish it? That was my argument. Several of my colleagues and friends who wrote with me did not agree. But today, with the grace of Almighty people have liked my poetry.

Incidentally, during Dasara, CM Siddharamaiah asked me, *"Sir, when did you write Nityotsava?"* I told him it was in 1968. He was astonished and exclaimed 1968! And in1978 I brought out the cassette and even before that Mysore Ananthaswamy used to sing my songs.

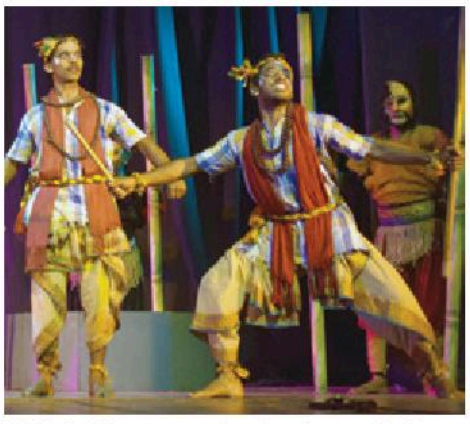
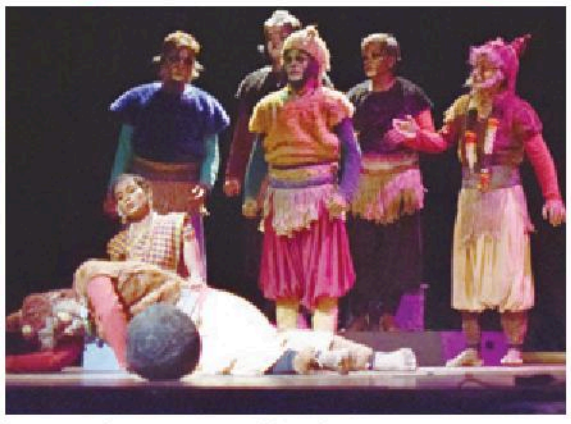
The CM asked me another question. *"When did you write Kurigalu Saar Kurigalu?"* (Laughs with a bemused look). I felt happy that Siddharamaiah was asking about *'Kurigalu Saar Kurigalu'*. I said in 1963.

Soon after the Chinese aggression on India, I felt so sad about politicians that I wrote it. Why should the Chinese come all the way from Peking (now Beijing) to the Himalayas? And we were kept in darkness about the aggression. It pained me a lot to see our helpless political masters. The CM heard it and was amazed. He asked me again, 1963? Yes I said 1963. I usually don't mention it unless someone asks me.

[To be continued tomorrow]

Vali-Sugriva combat proves love is supreme, not power

Sri Gajanana Yuvaka Mandala, Sheshagiri - Haveri, stages 'Vali Vadhe' at *Rangavalli Rangasambhrama*

Poignant scenes from the play 'Vali Vadhe' that mesmerised audience who learnt that power is temporary and love is permanent.

Naavu, a city-based music band performing at Kindari Jogi area in Kalamandira premises. From left: Anush A. Shetty on tabla, Shruthi Ranjani on violin, Shreekanta Swamy on drums, Shalom Sannutha - vocals & guitar and S.S. Rohith on bass guitar.

Mysuru, Oct. 8 (BNR)- The Hindu epic of 'Ramayana,' has no doubt brought out the camaraderie between brothers Rama and Lakshmana. But the audience at Kalamandira got to witness some emotional moments between two other warring brothers — Vali and Sugriva — as written by Rashtrakavi Kuvempu in "Poondenagniye Sakshi" and "Ni Satyavrathane Ditam," verses of 'Sri Ramayana Darshanam'.

Artistes of Sri Gajanana Yuvaka Mandala, Sheshagiri, Haveri, gave a commendable performance of the play *'Vali Vadhe'* which was directed by M. Ganesh, on the second day of *'Rangavalli Rangasambhrama'* at Kalamandira here yesterday.

In the director's words, the team that performed was a second generation of families at Sheshagiri which depend mostly on agriculture and are passionate about theatre art. Also among the artistes was an auto driver and a person who runs a small hotel 'Ranga Priya' at Sheshagiri. All of them have a common connecting thread — love of theatre.

Right from the props used, the make-up, the language and the best part the music, also by Director M. Ganesh, made the audience thoroughly enjoy the play that showcased how Vali, who ruled the kingdom of Kishkindha, was challenged by demon 'Maayaavi' for a fight and the differences between Vali and his brother Sugriva that ensued.

Using Yakshagana, Kalari and Manipuri art forms, the play wonderfully and thematically displayed how Vali, who ultimately won the combat with the demon and returned home, concluded that his brother had betrayed him on seeing Sugriva acting as a king and the aftermath. Though Sugriva humbly attempted to explain himself, he was ostracised from the kingdom and the brothers became bitter enemies. In exile, Sugriva came in contact with Lord Rama, who was in search of his wife Sita who was abducted by Ravana, king of the Rakshasas in Lanka. Rama promised Sugriva that he would kill Vali. Together, Sugriva and Rama went out to seek Vali. With Rama firmly backing him, Sugriva challenged Vali to fight with him. On the other side, Vali recalls Sugriva's childhood and playful days and decides to give up his anger and thirst for power.

The climax showed how Lord Rama kills Vali and how painful it was for Sugriva when he learnt that Vali had reformed and how guilty Lord Rama felt having killed a reformed Vali. The scenes and dialogues made the audience pity Vali and realised that love prevails and not power.

Earlier, Mysuru-based music band **'Naavu'** of *'Jumboo Savari...'* fame, presented a Folk-Fusion in the Kindari Jogi premises.

Band members Shalom Sannutha on vocals and guitar, Anush A. Shetty on tabla, Shreekanta Swamy on drums, Shruthi Ranjani on violin and S.S. Rohith on bass guitar entertained the gathering with several of their compositions that included Naavu theme song, *'Nagaradolage...', 'Dao Jing...', 'Metro City...', 'Maaye...', 'Metro City...' and 'Hutti Bande'.*

As Sundaresh Devapriyam (Munna), the lead vocalist and guitarist of the band, had to attend a workshop in Germany on a short notice, Sannutha, the lead vocalist, who was a mandolin player, took up guitar. And she made sure that the audience did not feel the gap and thoroughly entertained them.

Fest concludes today

Today the theatre fest concludes with Classical Music Jugalbandhi at 4.30 pm and staging of Dr. Chandrashekhara Kambara's play 'Maarikadu' by Bhoomika of Haradi-Udupi at 7 pm.

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ವಿಷಯ: ಶ್ರೀಮತಿ ತ್ರಿವೇಣಿ ಸಿ. ಭೌತಶಾಸ್ತ್ರದ ಉಪನ್ಯಾಸಕರು, ಎಸ್.ಬಿ.ಆರ್.ಆರ್. ಮಹಾಜನ ಪದವಿ ಪೂರ್ವ ಕಾಲೇಜು, ಜಯಲಕ್ಷ್ಮೀಪುರಂ, ಮೈಸೂರು ಇವರ ವಿರುದ್ಧ ಕಾನೂನು ಕ್ರಮ ಕೈಗೊಳ್ಳುವ ಕುರಿತು.

ಉಲ್ಲೇಖ: 1) ನಮ್ಮ ಕಛೇರಿ ನೋಟೀಸ್ ಸಂಖ್ಯೆ: MES/Enquiry/269/2016-17 dated 02.06.2016.

2) ಶ್ರೀ ಜೆರಾಲ್ಡ್ ಕ್ಯಾಸ್ಟಲಿನೊ, ವಿಚಾರಣಾಧಿಕಾರಿಗಳು ಇವರು ಶ್ರೀಮತಿ ಸಿ. ತ್ರಿವೇಣಿ ಇವರಿಗೆ ಕಳುಹಿಸಿರುವ ಪತ್ರ ಸಂಖ್ಯೆ: Enq/MES/GC-01/2016 dated 30.06.2016.

3) ವಿಚಾರಣಾಧಿಕಾರಿಗಳು ಗೌ.ಕಾರ್ಯನಿರ್ವಹಣಾಧಿಕಾರಿಯವರಿಗೆ ಸಲ್ಲಿಸಿರುವ ವಿಚಾರಣಾ ವರದಿ No.Enqu/1/MES/2016 dated 15.09.2016.

4) ಶ್ರೀಮತಿ ತ್ರಿವೇಣಿ ಸಿ. ಇವರಿಗೆ ಕಳುಹಿಸಲಾದ ನಮ್ಮ ಕಛೇರಿಯ Notice No.MES/Enquiry/617/2016-17 dated 04.10.2016.

5) ಮಹಾಜನ ವಿದ್ಯಾಸಂಸ್ಥೆಯ ಕಾರ್ಯಕಾರಿ ಸಮಿತಿಯು ದಿನಾಂಕ 22.10.2016 ರಂದು ಜರುಗಿದ ಸಭೆಯಲ್ಲಿ ತೆಗೆದುಕೊಂಡ ಠರಾವು.

ಸೂಚಿತ ವಿಷಯ ಮತ್ತು ಉಲ್ಲೇಖಗಳಿಗೆ ಸಂಬಂಧಿಸಿದಂತೆ ಶ್ರೀಮತಿ ತ್ರಿವೇಣಿ ಸಿ., ಭೌತಶಾಸ್ತ್ರದ ಉಪನ್ಯಾಸಕರು, ಎಸ್.ಬಿ.ಆರ್.ಆರ್. ಮಹಾಜನ ಪದವಿ ಪೂರ್ವ ಕಾಲೇಜು, ಮೈಸೂರು, ಇವರಿಗೆ ಈ ಮೂಲಕ ಅಂತಿಮ ನೋಟೀಸು ನೀಡುವುದೇನೆಂದರೆ ನಿಮ್ಮ ಅನಧಿಕೃತ ಗೈರು ಹಾಜರಿ ಮತ್ತು ಕರ್ತವ್ಯ ಲೋಪದ ಕುರಿತು ದಿನಾಂಕ: 11.02.2015ರ ಕಾರಣ ಕೇಳುವ ನೋಟೀಸನ್ನು ನಿಮಗೆ ಜಾರಿ ಮಾಡಲಾಗಿತ್ತು. ಆದಾಗ್ಯೂ ನೀವು ಕರ್ತವ್ಯಕ್ಕೆ ಹಾಜರಾಗಿರುವುದಿಲ್ಲ ಹಾಗೂ ಕಾರಣ ಕೇಳುವ ನೋಟೀಸಿಗೆ ಉತ್ತರ ನೀಡಿರುವುದಿಲ್ಲ.

ನಿಮ್ಮ ವಿರುದ್ಧ ಶಿಸ್ತಿನ ಕ್ರಮ ಕೈಗೊಳ್ಳಲು, ಪತ್ರ ಸಂಖ್ಯೆ: ಪಪೂಶಿ/ಸಿ–3/ಎನ್.ಎಸ್027/ಉಸ್ಥಾದೂರು/2013–14 ದಿನಾಂಕ:14.03.2016ರ ಪ್ರಕಾರ ಪದವಿ ಪೂರ್ವ ಶಿಕ್ಷಣ ಇಲಾಖೆಯು ಅನುಮತಿ ನೀಡಿರುತ್ತದೆ. ನಿಮ್ಮ ವಿರುದ್ಧ ಶೋ ಕಾಸ್ ನೋಟೀಸ್ ದಿನಾಂಕ: 11.02.2015ರ ಅನುಬಂಧ (1)ರಲ್ಲಿ ಸೂಚಿಸಿರುವ ದೋಷಾರೋಪಣಗಳಿಗೆ ಸಂಬಂಧಿಸಿದಂತೆ ಶಿಸ್ತು ಕ್ರಮ ಜರುಗಿಸಲು ದಿನಾಂಕ: 30.04.2016ರಂದು ಜರುಗಿದ ಮಹಾಜನ ವಿದ್ಯಾಸಂಸ್ಥೆಯ ಕಾರ್ಯಕಾರಿ ಸಮಿತಿಯ ಸಭೆಯಲ್ಲಿ ಗೌ.ಕಾರ್ಯನಿರ್ವಹಣಾಧಿಕಾರಿಗಳಿಗೆ ಅಧಿಕಾರ ನೀಡಲು ಠರಾವನ್ನು ಅಂಗೀಕರಿಸಲಾಯಿತು.

ಅದರಂತೆ, ನಿಮ್ಮ ವಿರುದ್ಧ ವಿಚಾರಣೆ ನಡೆಸಲು ಶ್ರೀ ಜೆರಾಲ್ಡ್ ಕ್ಯಾಸ್ಟಲಿನೊ, ವಕೀಲರು, ಮೈಸೂರು ಇವರನ್ನು ನೇಮಕ ಮಾಡಲಾಯಿತು. ವಿಚಾರಣಾಧಿಕಾರಿಗಳು ಉಲ್ಲೇಖ(3)ರ ಪತ್ರದಸ್ವಯ ವಿಚಾರಣಾ ವರದಿಯನ್ನು ಗೌ.ಕಾರ್ಯನಿರ್ವಹಣಾಧಿಕಾರಿಯವರಿಗೆ ಸಲ್ಲಿಸಿರುತ್ತಾರೆ. **ನೀವು ದಿನಾಂಕ: 30.05.2014ರಿಂದ 19.08.2016ರವರೆಗೆ ಕರ್ತವ್ಯಕ್ಕೆ ಅನಧಿಕೃತ ಗೈರು ಹಾಜರಾಗಿರುವುದು ವಿಚಾರಣಾಧಿಕಾರಿಗಳಿಗೆ ವರದಿಯಿಂದ ಸಾಬೀತಾಗಿದೆ.**

ವಿಚಾರಣಾಧಿಕಾರಿಗಳ ವರದಿಯ ಮೂಲ ಪ್ರತಿಯನ್ನು ನಿಮಗೆ ನೋಟೀಸ್ ಸಂಖ್ಯೆ: MES/Enquiry/617/2016-17 dated 04.10.16ರ ನೋಂದಣಿ ಆರ್ಜಿ ಮೂಲಕ ಕಳುಹಿಸಿ, ವಿಚಾರಣಾ ವರದಿಯ ಮೇಲೆ ನೀವು ಏನಾದರೂ ಹೇಳುವುದಿದ್ದಲ್ಲಿ ನೋಟೀಸ್ ತಲುಪಿತ 15ದಿನಗಳೊಳಗಾಗಿ ಲಿಖಿತದಲ್ಲಿ ತಿಳಿಸುವಂತೆ ಸೂಚಿಸಲಾಗಿತ್ತು. ಸದರಿ ನೋಟೀಸನ್ನು ನೀವು ದಿನಾಂಕ: 06.10.2016ರಂದು ಪಡೆದಿರುತ್ತೀರಿ. ಆದರೆ ಈವರೆಗೆ ನಿಮ್ಮಿಂದ ಯಾವುದೇ ಪ್ರತಿಕ್ರಿಯೆ ಬಂದಿರುವುದಿಲ್ಲ.

ಮೇಲಿನ ಅಂಶಗಳ ಅನ್ವಯ ನಿಮ್ಮನ್ನು ಎಸ್.ಬಿ.ಆರ್.ಆರ್. ಮಹಾಜನ ಪದವಿ ಪೂರ್ವ ಕಾಲೇಜಿನ ಸೇವೆಯಿಂದ ವಜಾ ಮಾಡಲು, ಮಹಾಜನ ವಿದ್ಯಾಸಂಸ್ಥೆಯ ಕಾರ್ಯಕಾರಿ ಸಮಿತಿಯು ದಿನಾಂಕ: 22.10.2016ರಂದು ಜರುಗಿದ ಸಭೆಯಲ್ಲಿ ಠರಾವನ್ನು ಅಂಗೀಕರಿಸಿರುತ್ತದೆ.

ಪ್ರಯುಕ್ತ ನಿಮಗೆ ಈ ಮೂಲಕ ಅಂತಿಮ ನೋಟೀಸನ್ನು ನೀಡಲಾಗುತ್ತಿದ್ದು, ಈ ಕುರಿತು ನೀವು ಏನಾದರೂ ಹೇಳುವುದಿದ್ದಲ್ಲಿ ನಿಮ್ಮ ಲಿಖಿತ ಹೇಳಿಕೆಯನ್ನು ಈ ನೋಟೀಸು ತಲುಪಿದ 15ದಿನಗಳ ಒಳಗಾಗಿ ಗೌ. ಕಾರ್ಯನಿರ್ವಹಿಗಳಿಗೆ ಸಲ್ಲಿಸಲು ಸೂಚಿಸಲಾಗಿದೆ. 15ದಿನಗಳ ಒಳಗಾಗಿ ನಿಮ್ಮಿಂದ ಯಾವುದೇ ಲಿಖಿತ ಹೇಳಿಕೆ ಬಾರದಿದ್ದಲ್ಲಿ ಈ ಕುರಿತು ನೀವು ಹೇಳುವುದು ಏನೂ ಇಲ್ಲ ಎಂದು ಪರಿಗಣಿಸಿ, ಕಾನೂನಿನ ರೀತ್ಯಾ ಏಕ ಪಕ್ಷೀಯವಾಗಿ ಮುಂದಿನ ರೀತಿಯ ಕ್ರಮವನ್ನು ಜರುಗಿಸಲಾಗುವುದು.

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BJP padayatra begins

Mysuru, Oct.8 (MTY&DM)- In a bid to address farmer issues, the district BJP Unit today launched a week-long *padayatra* from city this morning.

Speaking after flagging off the *padayatra* near Kote Anjaneyaswamy Temple at the North Gate of the Palace, former Minister and State BJP Vice-President V. Sreenivasa Prasad said that the *padayatra* is being taken out focussing on four prominent agrarian issues such as remunerative price for all farm produce, growing crop based on demand, seasonal cultivation of variety of crops and reaching out the programmes launched by the Union Government under Prime Minister Narendra Modi's leadership for the welfare of farmers.

Lashing out at the State Congress Government for neglecting the farming community, he said that the *padayatra* also aims at highlighting the failure of the State Government in addressing the problems of farmers and added that the *padayatra* is also aimed at sensitising the farmers for making Mysuru chemical-free agriculture district by 2024.

State BJP Raitha Morcha President C.H. Vijayashankar explained the objectives of the *padayatra*. Replying to a question about speculations of him joining the Congress, Vijayashankar said that he was working in Periyapatna for over three years after informing the BJP High Command. But now, he was disappointed that his work all these years was ignored. However, the party leaders have assured him that the issues will be addressed soon, he said. District BJP President Kote M. Shivanna, former MLC Siddaraju, and others were present.

Daily wager mistaken as thief beaten to death

Nanjangud, Oct. 8 (RS&BCT)- A daily wage labourer was mistaken to be a thief and was beaten to death near a village in Nanjangud in the wee hours of today.

The victim was tied to an electric pole and was assaulted. The Police are now booking the family and other assaulters under murder case.

According to the Police, the incident came to light at 4.30 am at Korehundi village between Nanjangud Industrial Area and Nanjangud town. The victim has been identified as 35-year-old Ramesha alias Kothi Ramesha, who is a daily wage labourer, who used to do odd jobs like painting and cleaning.

Ramesha hailed from Badanavalu village and had settled at Neelakantanagar. His wife had eloped with her paramour sometime back and Ramesha was leading a life of a vagabond where his whereabouts were not known even to his relatives.

Ramesha

Today at around 3.30 am, he entered the outhouse of one Chandrashekar, son of Mahadeva at Korehundi and locked himself inside. Chandrashekar, who heard some sound inside the outhouse, came out and realised that there was an intruder. Immediately, he alerted his family members who in turn called a few neighbours.

They gathered in front of the outhouse and called out Ramesha who refused to open the door. Finally, the people gathered outside assured him that no harm will be done and Ramesha eventually came out and he was questioned about his whereabouts.

Police said that Ramesha was giving inconsistent statements which enraged the villagers who accused him of being a thief. Chandrashekar alleged that Ramesha had come to rob his house and led the assault. Ramesha was dragged and tied to an electric pole and was beaten up by the group that had a couple of men.

Unable to bear the assault, Ramesha died at around 4.30 am. Nanjangud Police was informed and the villagers told the Police that the death was an accident due to mistaken identity. Circle Inspector Gopalakrishna, Additional SP N. Rudramuni, Assistant SP Mohammad Sujeetha visited the spot.

Gopalakrishna told *Star of Mysore* that a case of murder will be registered against Chandrashekar and his accomplices based on the complaint given by Ramesha's relatives.

As Ramesha belonged to Scheduled Caste community, cases will be booked under the Scheduled Castes and Tribes (Prevention of Atrocities) Act, 1989.

Mentally unsound man creates ruckus in city

(Continued from page 1)

As Venkatappa Shetty neared the Patashala Circle, he was hit with the stone. The stone barely missed his eyes.

Seeing the commotion, people gathered at the place tried to catch hold of the man but he proved too strong for them. Some two-wheeler riders parked their vehicles by the side of the road and attempted to catch him. Seeing people chasing him, the man assaulted a couple of them. A Traffic Constable, who tried to pull him too was injured as he was hit on his head.

The man later ran towards JSS Mahavidyapeeta. As he could not jump the compound, he squatted on the road, exhausted. The people, who were chasing the man used this opportunity to rein him in. He was overpowered and was beaten black and blue. One among the group brought a wooden reaper and beat him up, severely injuring his head, shoulders and neck region.

With much difficulty, the people tied his hands and legs with barbed wires and huge ropes. He was bundled into Mysuru City Corporation's Zone-1 Abhaya vehicle. The Abhaya team was led by Manjunath. Inside the vehicle too, the man was struggling to free himself from barbed wires and ropes. His hands were finally tied back and were bounded to his legs so that he could not move.

On questioning, the man said that his name was Kusma Williams and he hailed from Bengaluru. In chaste English, he said he was upset about the rapes that are happening in India and came to Mysuru to inform authorities about 3,500 rape incidents.

NEGLIGENCE AT HOSPITAL

Kusma Williams was shifted to K.R. Hospital by the Abhaya team where he was left unattended for almost two hours. He was writhing in pain and was pleading to be freed. Despite pleas from the Abhaya team, nurses and doctors refused to attend the injured man. His wounds were not cleaned and he was lying inside the Abhaya vehicle, bleeding from his head.

Finally, he was shifted to the ward where mentally unsound people are treated. He was given an injection so that he could sleep. The ropes and barbed wires were removed and as per the latest updates, the treatment had begun.

PATIENTS COMPLAIN

As the injured Kusma Williams was shifted to the ward, people there, especially women, objected as their safety would be compromised. Several women told the Police that as the person was well-built and violent, they could face danger especially during night. They pleaded them to shift him to a secluded ward where he remains alone.

Doctors and nurses, however, convinced them that two Police Constables will be posted at the ward as additional security and the person has already been immobilised. They assured them that he would do no harm and there was no facility for a secluded ward.

Obituary

K. Basavaraju

Periyapatna, Oct. 8 - K. Basavaraju (78), retired BEO and a resident of Muthaiah Layout in the town, passed away this morning at his residence.

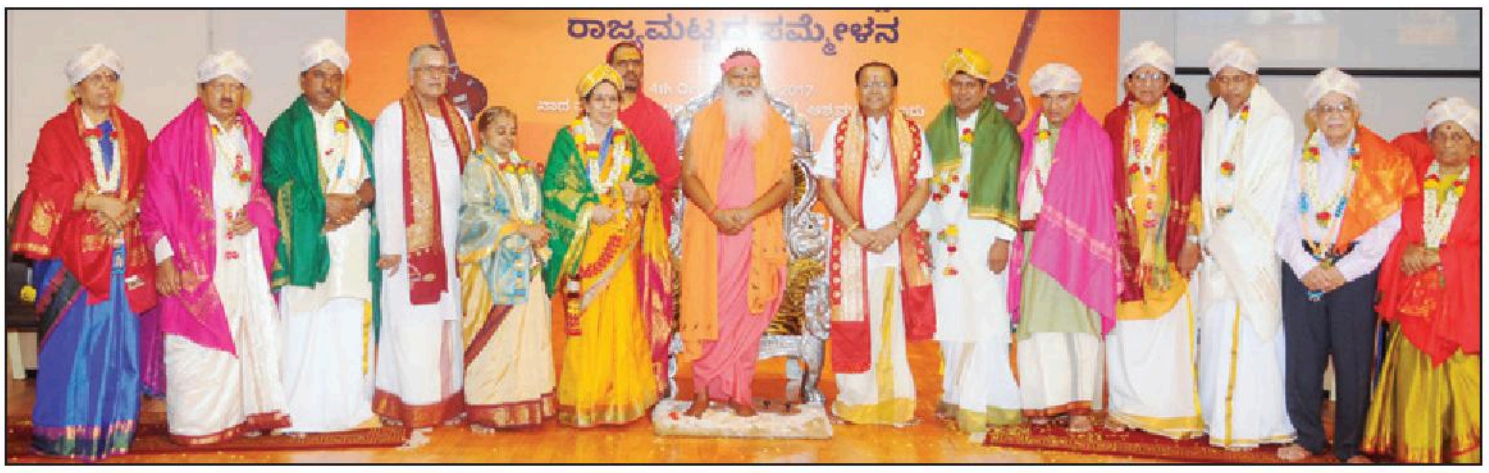
He leaves behind his wife, four sons and a host of relatives and friends.

Popularly known as KB, Basavaraju served as Mathematics and Science lecturer at Subbanna PU College in Bengaluru and as a NCC officer before becoming the BEO at Periyapatna and Hunsur.

Cremation took place at the crematorium at Olakote in the town this afternoon.

State-level convention of music scholars at SGS Ashrama concludes today

- 'Ganakala Yogi' title conferred on Ganapathy Swamiji
- Ganakala Bhushana' and 'Ganakala Sri' titles conferred on musicians



Mysuru, Oct. 8 (SP&KS)- The valedictory of the State-level Convention of Senior and Young Music Scholars organised by Karnataka Ganakala Parishat, Bengaluru, as part of the 75th Vardhanti of Sri Ganapathy Sachchidananda Swamiji, was held at Nada Mantapa in Ganapathy Ashrama on Ooty Road here this morning.

On the occasion, Vidu. T.S. Vasanthamadhavi was conferred with 'Ganakala Bhushana' title along with Sri Vadiraja Award that carries a cash prize of Rs. 30,000; Vid. B.C. Manjunath was conferred with 'Ganakala Sri' title along with Ramasudha Award that carries a cash prize of Rs. 15,000.

Vid. L. Ramashesha (vocal); Vid. S. Puttaraju (dolu) and Vid. R.K. Raghavan (veena), all from Mysuru; Vid. Neevani P. Anandarama Bhat, Shivamogga (flute); Vid. Dayananda Mohite, Bengaluru (ghata); Vid. G.R. Jaya (vocal), K.N. Venkatanarayana (art patron), all from Bengaluru, Vid. K.S. Nagabhushanaiah, Kolar (violin) and Vidu. Lalitachalam, Tumakuru (vocal) were honoured with 'Sadas Sanman' on the occasion.

Karnataka Ganakala Parishat also conferred 'Ganakala Yogi' title on Sri Ganapathy Swamiji. Rs. 10 lakh was donated to Karnataka Ganakala Parishat by the Ashrama on the occasion.

Earlier, the musicians were brought in the procession to Nada Mantapa in the Ashrama premises. Junior Pontiff Sri Datta Vijayananda Teertha Swamiji, Karnataka Ganakala Parishat President Vid. R.K. Padmanabha and others were present.

Walkathon on organ donation

Mysuru, Oct. 8 (SP&KS)- Young Indians (Yi), an integral part of Confederation of Indian Industry (CII), in association with JSS Hospital, conducted a Walkathon to spread the importance of organ donation in city this morning. The Walkathon was flagged off from Kote Anjaneyaswamy Temple at the North Gate of Mysore Palace, by SP Ravi D. Channannavar.

In his address, he said that it is very important to donate organs as it would help many to live. More awareness should be created in this regard, he added and pledged to donate his organs.

Manjunath and Chandini, recipients of kidneys, who also took part in the Walkathon, thanked their donors and said that they are participating in the Walkathon because of the donors who donated their kidneys to them.

The participants numbering about 250, comprising members of the public, Yi members and JSS Hospital staff, carried placards on the importance of organ donation and passed through Town Hall, Gandhi Square, Sayyaji Rao Road, K.R. Circle and culminated at the starting point.

The organisers of the Walkathon said that thousands of people die every year with organ failure and added that the only way they can have a new lease of life is by having an organ transplant.

Stating that one donor can give life to a minimum of eight people, they said that there was a critical shortage of organs and the gap between the number of organs donated and the number of patients waiting for a transplant was increasing day by day.

Right now, more than one lakh people in the country need an organ transplant and every year around 1,000 people die while waiting to find an organ donor, they added.

Organ transplantation is one of the most miraculous achievements of modern Medical Science which depends entirely on the generosity of donors and their families who are willing to make this life saving gift to others.

Dr. Ravi, Dr. Manjunath Shetty, Dr. Ghori, Yi Mysuru Chapter Chairperson Akshara Kumar, members Chaitra Narayan, Ravi Shankar, Shraddha, Sharath, Suresh and others took part in the Walkathon.

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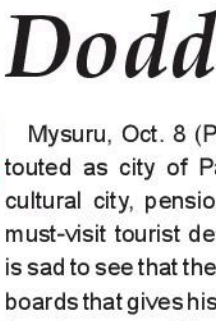
Doddagadiyara display board cries for attention

Mysuru, Oct. 8 (PM&NNN)- The city is touted as city of Palaces, heritage city, cultural city, pensioners paradise and a must-visit tourist destination. However, it is sad to see that there are hardly any sign boards that gives history and details about the place except in a few places. And, if there are sign boards or plaques they are in a pathetic condition with fading letters.

One display board, which is in a run-down condition is in the '*Doddagadiyara*' or the Big Clock Tower precincts. The beautiful heritage clock tower installed by Nalwadi Krishnaraja Wadiyar in 1927 after completing 25 years of his rule and hence in its memory was named **Silver Jubilee Clock Tower.** It is 70 ft. in height. But the board installed providing detailed information has faded and rusted. Though the tourists are deprived of information as it is in such a sorry condition, it does not seem to bother the authorities concerned.

A laser show was held during the Dasara festivities and the officials of District Administration and others were present. In spite of this, it is a sad reflection, they have not thought to do something about it.

According to city-based Horologist **M.S. Chandrasekhara Iyer** the clock was installed on August 8, 1927. The construction expenses of this historical clock tower was Rs. 7,500, which was built in just six months. He said that on four sides at the tower, the clock establishment, date, month, year and other details were engraved in Sanskrit, Kannada, English and Persian languages in marble stone in golden letters. "When the clock was striking, the sound could be heard from a distance of nearly two kms. However, the chiming of the clock has stopped from many years," he said speaking to *Star of Mysore*.



Chandrasekhara

Restoring a heritage monument

A four-member committee was formed in 2005 to restore the heritage monument that included Mysore Agenda Task Force (MATF) member M. Lakshman, Maj. Gen. (retd.) S.G. Vombatkere, former SJCE Principal Dr. Syed Shakeeb Ur Rehman and Chandrasekhara Iyer.

The question that was asked was '*When will Mysore's Big Ben chime?*'

Iyer told *Star of Mysore* that they had given suggestions to the Mysuru City Corporation to revive the clock. The expert committee had noted that **1)** There would be no threat to the monument if chimes are restored, **2)** Study suggested that the bell was not responsible for cracks. The team had suggested that re-wiring had to be done and fire-proofing of wooden floors was required. Finally, the report concluded that the 90-year-old structure was strong enough to bear the weight of the French-made bell, which is around 920 kg. Asked what happened to the report submitted twelve years ago, Iyer, 85, said in a wry voice, "*Nothing has happened in all these years according to my knowledge. It must be gathering dust like any other expert committee report in government offices.*"

At least now, the Mysuru City Corporation should wake up and restore the sign board using what is left of Dasara funds.

The faded display board of Clock Tower.

National Workshop on 'Temple Architecture and Iconography' in city from tomorrow

Mysuru, Oct. 8 (BNR)- The Department of Studies (DoS) in Ancient History and Archaeology, Manasagangothri, Mysuru, in collaboration with the Department of Ancient History and Archaeology, Maharaja's College, Mysuru, has organised a three-day National Workshop on the theme "*Temple Architecture and Iconography: In Sthapatis' Perspective*" at the Seminar Hall, DoS in Chemistry, Manasagangothri, from Oct. 9 to 11.

The event is financially supported by Indian Council of Historical Research, New Delhi and Shri Dharmasthala Manjunatheshwara Dharmothana Trust, Dharmasthala.

Prof. Dayananda Mane, Acting Vice-Chancellor, University of Mysore (UoM), will inaugurate the workshop at 10 am on Oct. 9.

Prof. A. Sundara, retd. Professor, Department of Ancient History and Epigraphy, Karnatak University, Dharwad, will deliver the keynote address. K. Dakshinamoorthy Sthapati, Managing Trustee, Vastu Vedic Research Foundation, Chennai and A.H. Harirama Shetty, Director, SDM Dharmothana Trust, Dharmasthala, will be the guests of honour.

Prof. B. Nagarajamurthy, Principal, Maharaja's College, will be the special invitee.

Prof. S. Nagaraju, retired Professor, Department of History, Central University, Hyderabad, will preside.

K. Dakshinamoorthy Sthapati will be the resource person for the following sessions: **Oct. 9:** Session-1 (2 pm to 3.30 pm): Saantara Temples & Architectural Geometry; Session -2 (4 pm to 5.30 pm): Vastu Purusha Mandala; **Oct. 10:** Session-3 (10 am to 11.30 am): Inscription, Agama and Architecture of Uttiramerur Temple; Session-4 (12 noon to 1.30 pm): Forms and Characters in Indian Architecture.

K.P. Umapathy Acharya, Hereditary Architect and Sculptor-Director, TVS Silpa Vidya Gurukulam, Maruthanallur, Kumbakonam, Tamil Nadu, and his team will be the resource persons for the following sessions: **Oct. 10:** Session-5 (2.30 pm- 4 pm): Doctrines of Temple Architecture and Iconography; Session-6 (4.30 pm-6 pm): Shilpa and Agama Texts: An Extensive Study; **Oct. 11:** Session-7 (10 am to 11.30 am): Nuances in Iconography; Session - 8 (12 noon to 1.30 pm): Art Appreciation and Students' Demonstration.

Valedictory

Dr. Vasundhara Filliozat, Art Historian, Mysuru, will deliver the valedictory address at 3 pm on Oct. 11. D. Bharati, Registrar, University of Mysore, will preside.

Dr. Rohitha Eswer, Department of Ancient History & Archaeology, Maharaja's College and Dr. V. Shobha, Chairperson, DoS in Ancient History & Archaeology, Manasagangothri, are the Co-ordinators.

More than hundred participants (MA students, research scholars and faculty members) from across India are expected to participate in this workshop.

Sculptors' Camp soon

The UoM Departments have plans to host a Sculptors' Camp shortly. For the "Sculptors' Camp," ten senior sculptors from Goa and Karnataka will be invited. They will stay in the University campus for about three weeks, tentatively from 3rd week of October till mid November, and create sculptures in ancient dynastic styles (Gandhara/Gupta/Kadamba/ Hoysala/ Chalukya/Chola etc). They will be assisted by four junior sculptors. The camp will run under the supervision of Puttaswamy Gudigar (Director, Shilpa Loka, Goa).

Being a unique and rare event, it would provide an opportunity for students and public to observe the creation of a sculpture from start to finish and appreciate the nuances of sculpting of an image in traditional style. In addition, the camp will result in the creation of as many as ten beautiful sculptures. This event will also be open for school children, college students, art connoisseurs and public.

The main idea behind organising this event is to introduce the younger generation (both students and faculty) to the scientific and aesthetic aspects of sculpting and temple building, both of which represent traditional knowledge system. This programme is also an attempt to preserve and promote the art of sculpting and temple building, by way of involving and honouring Sthapatis from Karnataka, Goa and Tamil Nadu.

South Zone Inter-University Women's Kho-Kho Tournament-2017

University of Mysore clinches title

Former International Basketball Player Seeth Chinnappa presenting the winners trophy to K.S. Bhavya, captain of kho-kho team of University of Mysore, during the valedictory of South Zone Inter-University Women's Kho-Kho Tournament-2017 at the University Hall here yesterday. Also seen are Prof. Dayananda Mane, Acting Vice-Chancellor, University of Mysore, Dr. P. Krishniah, Director (In-charge), Department of PE, University of Mysore, Satyakumar, Coach, UoM, Kumar, Senate Member, B.D. Kantharaj, Manager, B. Mahadevappa, Finance Officer, UoM, Sunil Kumar, Observer, AIU, Pulakeshi Shettappanavar and the team players.

Mysuru, Oct. 8- Hosts University of Mysore won all their three league matches and with six points from as many games played, clinched the South Zone Inter-University Women's Kho-Kho Tournament title for the first time, at the University Grounds here yesterday. In their final league match, University of Mysore, well-served by some inspiring play by K.S. Megha (played 3 minutes & scored 3 points), Jayashree (scored 4 points), Sindhu (played 3 minutes) and Veena (played 3 minutes & scored 1 point), scored a 15-4 win over defending champion, University of Calicut and emerged as the Champion team.

University of Calicut with 4 points from three games (2 wins & 1 loss) emerged as the runner-up, while Mangalore University with 1 point finished third. University of Kerala secured the fourth place. Both Mangalore University and University of Kerala finished with 1 point each after the league stage when they tied their league match at 12-12, and to decide the third place winner, Mangalore University emerged as the winner in the minimum chase time allotted.

All the four teams qualified for the All India Inter-Zonal Women's Kho-Kho Championships (2017-18) to be held in Gujarat in December 2017. The prizes to the winners were given away by Seeth Chinnappa, former International basketball player & University of Mysore's Kho-Kho player and Prof. Dayananda Mane, Acting Vice-Chancellor Mysore University.

The former Mysore University players in the women's section who won medals in the All India Inter-University Kho-Kho Tourney in 1981-82, 2013-14 were felicitated by the Dept. of Physical Education, Mysore University, during the valedictory function.

Final Placing — League:

1. University of Mysore-4 points,
2. University of Calicut -4 points,
3. Mangalore University-1 point,
4. University of Kerala-1 point.

RESULTS

League

University of Mysore bt University of Calicut 15-4; Mangalore University tied with University of Kerala 12-12; University of Mysore bt University of Kerala 9-5; University of Calicut bt Mangalore University 9-8.

Match for third place

Mangalore University bt University of Kerala (For Mangalore University N. Sudha played 1min & 40s, while University of Kerala's Sree Lakshmi played only for 1 minute & 29s) by minimum chase time.

THIS Week

Talented Tennis Player: Suraj Prabodh

Tennis is a global sport and Mysuru has been producing talented tennis players from time to time who have gone on to represent the country in different events. One such player who has made his mark in the National and International level is city men's tennis player **Suraj R. Prabodh.**

Ranked No.1 in the State in the men's section and No.12 in the country, this lad has been making steady progress and improving his ATP ranking by playing well in the ITF Futures and Circuit Tournaments. Recently taking part in the Fenesta National Tennis Championship-2017 at the DLTA Complex, New Delhi, yesterday emerged as the runner-up in the men's singles event. He is our *'Star This Week.'*

Suraj, a product of the Mysore Tennis Club, Chamarajapuram, Mysuru, who now trains with the Milos Pavlovic at the Harvest Academy in Jassowal, had an excellent week of tennis in the National Tennis Championship 2017 at New Delhi.

Seeded No.1 in the tournament, Suraj began steadily

Suraj R Prabodh

beating Orissa's Ansu Kumar Buyan 7-6 (8), 3-6, 6-3. In the second round, Suraj got the better of Maharashtra's Arman Bhatia 6-3, 6-1. In the quarter-finals, Suraj, playing some aggressive tennis, beat former Davis Cup player Nitten Keerthane 6-2, 7-6 (4). In the semi-finals, Suraj was at his best playing some attacking tennis on both the flanks and beat Tamil Nadu's Manish Sureshkumar 7-6 (5), 3-6, 6-2.

In the finals, Dalwinder Singh beat Suraj 6-3, 6-4 and clinched the title. The winner took home a cash prize of Rs.3 lakh while the runner-up received a cash prize of Rs.2 lakh. Suraj also entered the semi-finals in the men's doubles event in this tournament.

Suraj, sponsored by Cycle Pure Agarbathis, Mysuru, has been faring consistently in the ITF circuit. In March, Suraj won the men's singles title in the AITA-Oriss Tennis Masters Men's Tennis Tournament at Behrampur, Odisha. In the final, Suraj beat A. Borthakur 6-4, 6-4 to clinch the title. He also entered the semi-finals in the men's doubles event.

Suraj, encouraged by his parents Prabodh and Renuka, took up to the game at an early age and has been making steady progress in this sport.

Suraj has a neat game and has a wide range of shots both on his forehand and backhand. He needs to work out on his fitness levels to sustain in this competitive world of professional tennis. Suraj presently has an ATP ranking of 1147 in singles.

Colombo ITF Women's Tennis Tourney

City's Dhruthi goes down to USA's Rushri

Colombo, Oct. 8- Mysuru-based women's tennis player representing India in the $15,000 ITF Women's Tennis Tournament in Colombo on Saturday lost her women's singles pre-quarterfinal tie to Rushri Wijesundera of USA 3-6, 1-2 (retd).

Dhruthi, teaming up with Riya Bhatia, also lost in the women's doubles quarter-finals to Isabelle Boulas (Can) & Ye Xin Ma (China).

SPORTS EVENTS

CRICKET

Ranji Trophy National Championship 2017-18

14.10.17 to 17.10.17	Karnataka Vs Assam at SDNR Wadiyar Platinum Jubilee University Grounds, Mysuru.

KSCA Mysore Zonal League 2017

14.10.17 & 15.10.17	SJCE, NIE-IT, Vidya Vikas (Mysuru) and PET (Mandya) Grounds.

SPORTS QUIZ

1. What does the term YAS stands for?
2. In which sport is the term 'Starting Block' associated with?
3. The 'Subroto Mukherjee Trophy' is associated with which sport?
4. Which is the team which won this year's Karnataka Premier League 2017 title?
5. Who is the F1 driver who has taken the pole position in the Japanese Grand Prix 2017?

1. Yatching Association of India. 2. Athletics.
3. National level inter-school football.
4. Belagavi Panthers. 5. Lewis Hamilton.

Karya Siddhi Hanuman at SGS Ashrama to be a visual treat

Original Hanuman statue; The statue with 4K projection mapping.

Mysuru, Oct. 8- Karya Siddhi Hanuman at Sri Ganapathy Sachchidananda Ashrama (SGS) or Avadhoota Datta Peetham in city has become the first Hindu deity in the world to be worshipped through 4K projection mapping. It expands the definition of Karma Kanda and blends ancient tradition with sophisticated technology in a unique and never before manner. With 4K projection mapping, Sri Ganapathy Swamiji has achieved another unique distinction of the first seer to embrace projection mapping as a means of worship. He has blended tradition with technology in every endeavour.

A special demonstration has been organised for media persons tomorrow at 7 pm.

What is projection mapping?

It is a highly skilled and sophisticated technology where a physical immovable object like the giant Hanuman statue is studied in great depth and its every contour is understood from a visual perspective.

By creating the same 3-dimensional image on a computer and matching its image on a projector screen, light is scattered on the surface of the object altering it at will where the statue is made to appear differently.

The director and visualiser create images that amaze the audience as these images seem to be a magical new shape of the object itself. The result is an awesome experience. The granite Hanuman develops two additional hands which tear into his chest and show us Lord Ram and Sita. Or a forest grows around the statue and a tiny Hanuman jumps from branch to branch.

The concept and execution of the project was done by **Mani Shankar,** renowned Bollywood film maker, engineer, inventor and 3D Holography expert and Guinness World Record holder. Mani Shankar is also a student of Vedanta and is an ardent student of Indian philosophy and tradition. The project has been creatively supervised by **Anjali Joshi** who is a Bollywood writer, producer and production designer. The music has been composed by **Sanjay Wandrekar,** noted Bollywood music director and composer.

Design Strategy

Mani Shankar took up Sri Swamiji's vision of showcasing the 'Hanuman Chalisa' as the primary design element. Many improvisations were done in this regard and first the audio. Music Director Sanjay Wandrekar was roped in and he was given an emotional storyboard of the broad meaning of the content in 40 verses.

Primarily it was observed that the Chalisa content moved from descriptive emotion to personal emotion and this swing was the main design of composition by Saint Tulsidas. After a careful thought, a musical style of rap plus melody was adopted with the rap being masculine and melody being feminine. This gave the music a distinct texture and character. The visual elements were then defined layer-by-layer. This was a long and difficult process with several rejections and recreations. The mapping was completed after six months of non-stop effort.

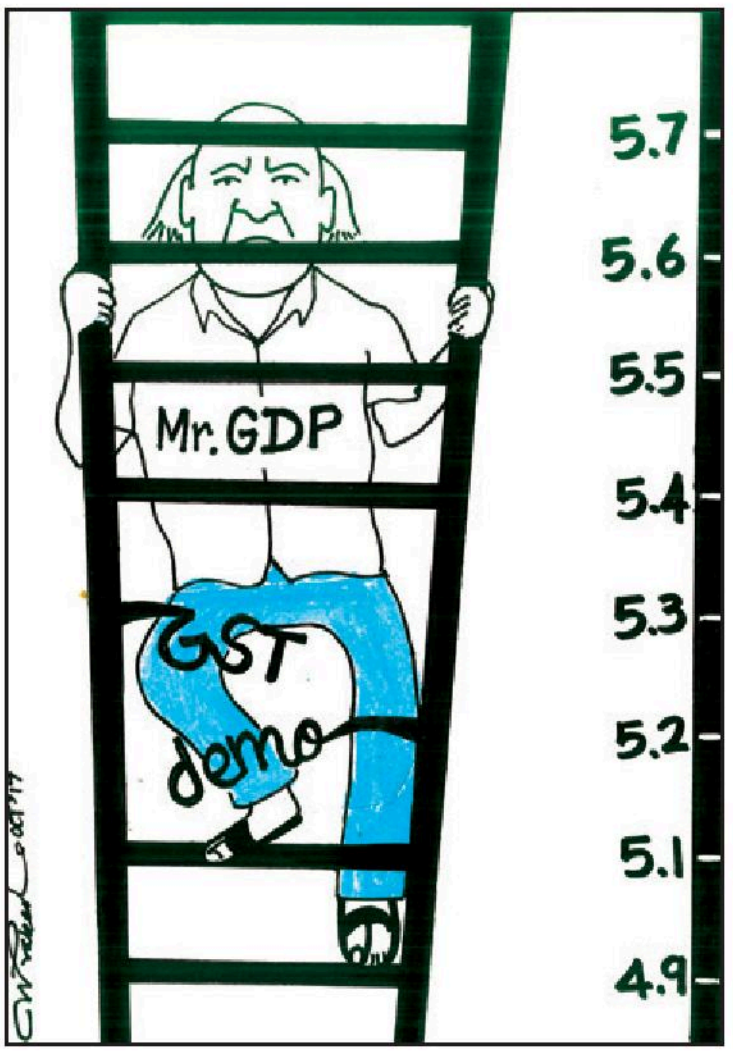
The show can be viewed in the following YouTube link:

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=xTaGA69j6gM

'Theppotsava' at Devikere

The 'Theppotsava' of Goddess Chamundeshwari at the Devikere in Chamundi Hill last evening marked the last leg of Dasara-2017. The idol of the deity, placed in a mantap on a boat, went around the lake thrice, providing a visual treat for the devotees. A procession of the deity was held atop the Hill as a prelude to the 'Theppotsava.' Soon after the 'Theppotsava,' the idol was taken to the temple in a golden palanquin.

TEASER By N. Prakash



Kasaragod Yakshagana dolls to American Museum

Kasaragod Yakashagana dolls are also displayed in many museums including in countries like Poland, Turkey, Pakistan, China, Germany, Australia, Czechoslovakia and Indonesia.

Kasaragod, Oct. 8- Two dolls from the internationally renowned Sri Gopalakrishna Yakshagana Bombeyaata Sangha, Kasaragod, has been selected to be displayed at a museum in America.

The dolls will be displayed at the Centre for Puppetry Arts in Atlanta, California. The museum here has dolls from various countries representing their culture. The two dolls, Dushasana and Abhimanyu, which represent the most beautiful Yakashagana art form from the Karavali region in Karnataka has found a place in the museum.

Association Director and *Pradhana Sutradara* K.V. Ramesh has designed the dolls and President of UNIMA (International Puppetry Association) Dadi Pudmjee has transported the dolls to the museum.

Sri Gopalakrishna Yakshagana Bombeyaata Sangha has performed several shows all round the world and has been a recipient of many awards. The dolls designed under the guidance of Ramesh are very attractive and has lot of demand.

Besides, the Kasaragod Yakashagana dolls are displayed in many museums including in countries like Poland, Turkey, Pakistan, China, Germany, Australia, Czechoslovakia and Indonesia.

BJP attacks CM over land allotment case

Bengaluru, Oct.8(KMS)- The State BJP on Saturday mounted an attack on Chief Minister Siddharamaiah, accusing him of nepotism in illegally granting land to a company owned by his son Dr. Yathindra's former business partner.

Puttaswamy

Addressing a press meet, BJP leader B.J. Puttaswamy demanded that 2.19 acres of land in Hebbal illegally allotted to a company linked to CM's son Dr. Yathindra, he cancelled and handed over to Arkavathy layout allottees.

Puttaswamy said this was the first in a series of scams related to Siddharamaiah that the party will expose once every 2-3 days.

In January last year, 2.19 acres of land coming under survey Nos. 109-114 in Hebbal, which is currently worth Rs. 200 crore, was allotted to Shantha Industrial enterprises in exchange for land acquired from the company in Kethamaranahalli, Mahalakshmi layout in 1977.

The Bangalore Development Authority (BDA), had paid Rs. 29 lakh as compensation to the company then.

"Dr. Yathindra's friend Rajesh Gowda became a partner in Shantha Industrial Enterprises in 2010. In 2014, Dr. Yathindra became a Director at Matrix Imaging Solutions India (P) Ltd., a company established by Gowda in 2009," Puttaswamy said. He alleged that it is clear that the Chief Minister intervened to get the land allotted to Shantha Industrial Enterprises, although there is no provision for re-allotment of alternative land, that too after 40 years.

Maintaining that the 2.19 acres was meant for Arkavathy Layout, Puttaswamy demanded that the Chief Minister drop the allotment of 2.19 acres and hand it over to Arkavathy layout allottees.

CM refutes allegations

In a swift reaction to the BJP's allegation, CM Siddharamaiah said that the he will advise his son to file a defamation case against BJP MLC B.J. Puttaswamy who levelled the allegations.

Siddharamaiah

Claiming that the accusations were baseless and politically motivated, the CM said the allotment of land to Shantha Industrial Enterprises had no connection with his son and the approaching elections had driven the BJP to resort to such tactics.

Lashing out at the BJP for making baseless charges for political gains, he said MP Shobha Karandalje had made false allegations earlier and it was reiterated by B.J. Puttaswamy.

'I will ask my son to file a defamation case against these leaders. The BJP leaders have not documents to justify their charges,' he added.

Meanwhile, Dr. Yathindra said the agreement was between Shantha Industries and Matrix Imaging Solutions and he had nothing to do with the agreement. He further said it was a politically motivated allegation meant to defame his farther.

Yathindra

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GTD, Vishwanath call on Sreenivasa Prasad to discuss poll strategy

Devegowda

Vishwanath

Prasad

Mysuru, Oct.8- Even as Chief Minister Siddharamaiah is getting ready to contest from Chamundeshwari Assembly Constituency, JD(S) leaders A.H. Vishwanath and G.T. Devegowda(GTD) met BJP leader V. Sreenivasa Prasad at the latter's Jayalakshmipuram residence here yesterday to discuss poll strategy for taking on CM Siddharamaiah who has declared that he would contest from Chamundeshwari.

The meeting of the JD(S) duo Vishwanath and G.T. Devegowda with veteran leader Sreenivasa Prasad has given rise to speculations in political circles.

The JD(S) leaders, who exhibited unity, are now gearing up to take on Siddharamaiah, who will be fighting his last electoral battle in Chamundeshwari Constituency.

Prasad, who is keeping a low profile after the by-poll defeat, held closed door talks with Vishwanath and G.T. Devegowda and decided to chalk out a strategy to defeat Siddharamaiah and the Congress in Mysuru district.

The JD(S) leaders are said to have appealed to Sreenivasa Prasad to rise above party politics as they have a similar objective and agenda to defeat Siddharamaiah and stop the Congress from coming to power.

They are also said to have discussed caste equation in Hunsur, Periyapatna, Chamundeshwari and other assembly segments in Mysuru district in the wake of speculations that BJP leader C.H. Vijayashankar is planning to join the Congress.

During the talks, it was also decided to bring anti-Congress and anti-Siddharamaiah forces together and launch an extensive campaign against the Congress, it is learnt.

MP Pratap Simha meets Prasad

Even as the two JD(S) leaders met Sreenivasa Prasad to discuss the agenda for defeating Siddharamaiah. MP Pratap Simha met Sreenivasa Prasad at the latter's residence on Saturday evening following direction from top State party leaders.

Woman ends life

Hunsur, Oct.8(Mahesh)- In a tragic incident, a newly married woman committed suicide by hanging self at her parents' residence near Karnakuppe gate close to Hanagudu in the taluk this morning.

The deceased has been identified as Asha (24), wife of one Shivamurthy.

Asha, who was married to Shivamurthy of Beeregowdanahundi in Nanjangud taluk about five months ago is said to have taken this extreme step when her parents were away on work.

Asha, who was said to be depressed as her husband had not turned up for many days, has left behind a suicide note, it is learnt. Hunsur Rural Police have registered a case in this regard.

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2.	Supply & Installation of Rigid Reflective Median Markers in Mysuru City Under M-Trac Project	2,250 Nos.	10.00 Lakhs	15,000
			Total Rs.	30,000

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SHORT TERM TENDER NOTIFICATION

The Executive Engineer, H&FW, Engineering Division, Mysuru invites tenders from eligible Class-I, Class-II & above contractors registered in KPWD in Single cover system & Double cover system in e-procurement for the following maintenance work, for various Health buildings in Mysuru District.

Sl. No.	Description of work	Estimated cost (Rs. Lakhs)	E.M.D (Rs. Lakhs)	Period of Completion
	Annual Maintenance of Taluk Level/General Hospital, Maternity Child Hospital, Primary Health Centres, Community Health Centres from 01.10.2017 to 30.09.2018.			
1	Heggadadevanakote- Taluk Package-1	23.80	0.48	12 Months
2	Hunsuru- Taluk Package-2	27.37	0.55	12 Months
3	Nanjanagudu - Taluk Package-4	28.28	0.57	12 Months
4	Periyapattana - Taluk Package-5	27.37	0.55	12 Months
5	Tirumakudal Narasipur- Taluk Package-6	25.86	0.52	12 Months
6	Mysuru - Taluk Package-7	55.99	1.12	12 Months

Calendar of Events: 1) Last date for receipt of tenders: 19.10.2017 upto 16.00 hrs. **2)** Date of Opening of Tenders : 21.10.2017 at 11.00 hrs.

The tender details can be downloaded from the e-Procurement platform (www.eproc.karnataka.gov.in). Tenders shall be submitted electronically at www.eproc.karnataka.gov.in. and EMD and Tender Processing Fee shall also be paid electronically. Interested firms shall register on the e-procurement platform to participate in this tender.

Note: 1) Henceforth any changes in the schedule/Contents will not be published through Newspapers and further changes will be updated only on e-procurement portal. 2) Those who reside in the said district only are eligible to participate in the Tender as the nature of work is maintenance of Hospital buildings.

Sd/- Executive Engineer, H&FW, Engineering Division, Mysuru.

Health camp on Oct. 10

Mysuru, Oct. 8- The Department of Medicine, JSS Hospital, in association with Senior Citizens Helpline, will be conducting a one-day discussion and health-camp for senior citizens on Oct. 10 from 8.30 am to 4 pm at Rajendra Bhavan in the hospital premises on MG Road in city.

The Hospital will conduct free test for BP, diabetes, uric acid and ECG. There will also be discussions on health-related issues including dental heath and also laws specially introduced for the benefit of the senior citizens. For registration, contact the Helpline or call: 0821 2548253/2448138.

Columbia Asia to introduce city's first Advanced Cardiac Diagnosis in Real Time

Mysuru, Oct. 8- Columbia Asia Hospital - Mysuru has announced a first of its kind initiative in city — a complete technological solution to diagnose and interpret cardiovascular issues in real time. The technology works on an Artificial Intelligence (AI) platform handheld device that can provide preventive cardiac care to people who may not even be aware that they have heart issues.

On the occasion of the World Heart Day, Columbia Asia dedicates this to the citizens and will provide free ECG machines to ten nursing homes in and around Mysuru, who do not have 24/7 cardiac support. The technology will be implemented in these hospitals and will aid them to receive real time analysis of their diagnosis.

"Healthcare has reached a stage in which technology has very well-blended with Medical care, in perilous times where an cardiac emergency goes unnoticed at most of the places where a Cardiologist is not available, this particular ECG machine facilitates immediate response from a Cardiologist at Columbia Asia Hospital, Mysuru, which is in less than 5 minutes in case of an anomaly in the ECG report, which helps the patient to reach a medical centre where a Cardiologist is present for immediate treatment and care, this will be a very effective mechanism to save many lives," says Dr. Upendra Shenoy, Chief of Medical Services and Cardiothoracic and Vascular Surgeon, Columbia Asia Hospital, Mysuru.

How it Works

The ECG will be done at the Remote Nursing home post which the ECG is transmitted to the doctors at Columbia Asia Hospital, Mysuru for intervention and further advice. The doctors at the hospital will then connect with the patient with abnormal ECG and advice on further course of action.

The initiative helps people to gain immediate emergency intervention in case of an anomaly in their ECG reading which sometimes would have went unnoticed due to the absence of a Cardiologist at a stand-alone nursing home or a remote geographic area. Within two minutes AI intervention will happen for any ECG, and within five minutes a Cardiologist will read an abnormal ECG and advice the patient.

Awareness programme marks World Heart Day celebrations

Dr. M. Suresh Babu, Professor of Medicine, JSS Hospital, delivering a lecture on prevention of heart diseases for NIE students.

Mysuru, Oct. 8- World Heart Day was celebrated with health awareness programme on prevention of heart diseases for engineering students and health check-up camp for staff of National Institute of Engineering (NIE) at its premises recently. The programme was conducted by the American College of Physicians, India Chapter.

Delivering the lecture on prevention of heart diseases, Dr. M. Suresh Babu, Professor of Medicine, JSS Hospital and Governing Council member, South Zone, ACP India Chapter, mentioned the increasing prevalence of heart diseases in younger age group and emphasised the importance of adopting healthy lifestyle measures at the young age.

He stressed the need to inculcate daily physical activities and healthy food habits with abstinence of alcohol, smoking and junk food for prevention of heart diseases. The symptom presentations related to heart diseases was explained on the occasion. Health check-up along with blood pressure and blood sugar check-up for teaching and non-teaching staff was organised at the institutional premises. An interaction programme with the students and staff was also arranged on the occasion.

Felicitation marks Engineers' Day

Engineers M.S. Vijayashankar and Prof. S. Ramaswamy, who were felicitated by ACCE (India) during Engineers' Day celebrations, are seen with (standing from left) H.S. Deepak, Hon Secretary, K. Jayakumar, Vice-President - Marketing, The Ramco Cements Ltd., B.R. Badarinath, Chairman, Prof. H.N. Ramesh, VC, Bangalore University, Bengaluru, S. Ratnavel, President, ACCE(India), Dr. H.S. Prasanna, Hon. Treasurer and Anil K. Pillai, Sr. DGM - Technical Services.

Mysuru, Oct. 8- Association of Consulting Civil Engineers-India (ACCE-India), Mysuru Centre, together with The Ramco Cements Ltd., celebrated Engineers' Day at a private hotel in city recently.

Two eminent engineers — M.S. Vijayashankar and Prof. Ramaswamy — were felicitated for their outstanding contribution to the Civil Engineering fraternity.

Prof. H.N. Ramesh, Vice-Chancellor, Bangalore University, Bengaluru, was the chief guest.

K. Jayakumar, Vice-President, Marketing, The Ramco Cements Ltd., was the guest of honour.

ACCE(I) President S. Ratnavel presided. Anil. K. Pillai gave a presentation on Ramco products.

THE INSTITUTION OF ENGINEERS (INDIA), MYSURU LOCAL CENTRE: ***As part of 50th Engineers Day and Birth Anniversary of*** *Bharat Ratna* ***Sir M. Visvesvaraya, six eminent engineers were felicitated at Sir M.V. auditorium in the Institution premises on JLB Road in city recently. Engineers who were honoured —*** *(from left)* ***K. Ravichandran, Dy. Chief Engineer, Railways; S. Sumanth, retd. Director, KPTCL; L. Basavaraju, retired Secretary to Irrigation; V.K. Jagadish Babu, Managing Director, Sankalp Group; Dr. N.M. Ranukappa, Professor, Department of E&C, SJCE and S.V. Gowdappa, Executive Engineer (retd.) — are seen with*** *(from left)* ***K.B. Bhaskar, Convenor, 50th Engineers Day Celebrations, B.V. Ravindranath, Hon. Secretary, IEI, Mysuru, Dr. N. Muthukumar, President & Whole Time Director, Automotive Axles Ltd., Mysuru, M. Chinnaswamy, Chairman, IEI, Mysuru and others.***

CODE IGNITER: Natl.-level Coding Contests

Participants with *(sitting from left)* ***Dr. Reshma Banu, Professor & HoD of ISE & Convener, Code Igniter-2017, Dr. K.C. Gouda, Senior Scientist, CSIR C-MMACS, NAL, Bengaluru, Dr. K.A. Sumithra Devi, Principal, GSSSIETW.***

Mysuru, Oct. 8- The Department of Information Science & Engineering had organised one-day National-level Coding Competition 'CODE IGNITER - 2017' in association with Computer Society of India, Bengaluru and Mysuru Chapters at the Seminar Hall of GSSSIETW in city.

The event was inaugurated by Dr. K.C. Gouda, Senior Scientist, CSIR C-MMACS, NAL, Bengaluru, Dr. K.A. Sumithra Devi, Principal, GSSSIETW, Mysuru, Dr. Reshma Banu, Professor & Head, Dept. of ISE & Convener, Code Igniter-2017, by offering flowers to Visionary and Founder Secretary late Prof. B.S. Pandit.

Dr. Reshma Banu, Prof. & Head, Dept. of ISE & Convener, Code Igniter-2017, welcomed the gathering and highlighted the importance of 'CODE IGINTER 2017.'

The event was coordinated by Ayesha Taranum, Asst. Professor, Dept. of ISE & Soumya Dath G, Asst. Professor, Dept. of ISE.

Dr. Gouda addressed the students by emphasising about the importance for such Technical Competition which provides a platform for students of various streams of IT to showcase their talent, present their own work, share and exchange ideas with their counter parts.

He motivated the students to become entrepreneurs and provide jobs to others. He also advised the students to distinguish themselves with additional skills and express themselves to be successful in their on professional life.

He suggested the students that getting into the job is not the end instead it's the beginning of the career where one should involve in learning the underlying technologies efficiently.

Safura Zohareen of III Sem ISE proposed a vote of thanks.

After the Inaugural function, around 300 participants from various colleges of Karnataka, Kerala and Andhra Pradesh participated in the Code Debugging, Project/Business Innovation Ideas, Poster Presentation and Mobile App Development events. Event concluded with the valedictory where winners of each event were presented with cash prize and certificate of appreciation.

NOW SHOWING

Movie	Theatre	Phone	Shows
KANNADA			
Tarak	Saraswathi	2541451	4 Shows
	Gayathri	2443568	4 Shows
Vaira	Mahadeshwara	9900820093	4Shows
	Lido	2420885	4 Shows
Mugulu Nage	Shanthala	2427584	4 Shows
Kidi	Prabha	2423569	4 Shows
Bharjari	Lakshmi	2443584	4 Shows
	Sangam	2520494	4 Shows
Raajkumara	Thibbadevi	2452958	4 Shows
Huli Raya	Woodlands	2422871	4 Shows
TAMIL			
Hara Hara Mahadevaki	Olympia	2420737	4 Shows
Karuppan	Padma	2521923	4 Shows
HINDI			
Judwaa-2	Sri Nagaraj	2520490	4 Shows
Terminator-2	Balaji Deluxe	2497199	4 Shows
TELUGU			
Jai Lava Kusha	Sterling	2481170	4 Shows
Spyder	Rajkamal	2423554	4 Shows
	Sri Maruthi	9980351129	4 Shows
	Skyline	2481170	4 Shows
A Romantic Horror Story	Uma	2520009	4 Shows

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Bharjari (K)	(S-2)	1.00 pm
Tarak (K)	(S-1)	10.30 am, 4.15 pm
	(S-4)	1.40 pm, 7.05 pm
Judwaa-2 (H)	(S-1)	1.20 pm
	(S-2)	4.00 pm, 7.00 pm, 9.55
Blade Runner 2046 - 3D(E)	(S-1)	6.55 pm, 9.55 pm
Spyder (Te)	(S-3)	10.45 am, 4.15 pm
Newton (H)	(S-2)	10.55 am
Huli Raya (K)	(S-3)	1.30 pm
Chef (H)	(S-3)	7.15 pm, 9.55 pm
	(S-4)	4.30 pm
Solo (Ma)	(S-4)	9.55 pm
Udaharanam Sujatha (Ma)	(S-4)	11.00 am

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Bharjari (K)	(S-3)	12.45 pm
April Na Himabindu (K)	(S-4)	1.40 pm
Judwaa-2 (H)	(S-4)	10.45 am
	(S-2)	9.50 pm, (S-3) 3.55 pm
	(S-4)	10.45 am
Tarak (K)	(S-2)	9.50 am, 12.50 pm, 3.50 pm, 6.45 pm
Spyder (Te)	(S-3)	9.50pm
Chef (H)	(S-1)	1.10 pm, 7.10 pm
	(S-3)	10.00 am
Blade Runner 2046 -3D(E)	(S-1)	9.55 am, 3.55 pm, 9.55 pm
Ramleela (Ma)	(S-4)	9.30pm
Huli Raya(Ka)	(S-4)	6.45pm
Mahanubhavudu (Te)	(S-3)	6.50 pm
'Lakshmi Narayanara Prapanchane Bere (K)	(S-4)	4.20 pm

Movie timings published here are subject to sudden change by the theatre managements. The films are also liable to be changed in multiplexes if there are no minimum audience of 15 to the film announced here.

AIR ON MONDAY

6.00 am Patriotic Songs, 6.10 Geetaradhana, 6.30 Chinthana, 6.35 Sannutigeete, 6.45 Bhavageete, 7.15 Sponsored Prog., 7.45 Film Songs, 8.35 Navilugari, 10.00 Vocal Recital, 10.30 Hindi Film Songs, 11.00 Kamanabillu, 11.30 Keli Kali, 12.00 noon Chukki Chinna, 12.30 Mahila Ranga, 1.00 Devotional Songs, 1.30 pm Madhyanada Madhurya, 2.35 Chinnara Chukki, 3.00 Vividha Bharati Programme, 4.00 Yakshagana, 5.00 Gaana, 6.15 Folk Songs, 6.50 Krishi Ranga, 8.00 Yuvavani, 9.16 Rangageete, 10.30 Hindi Film Songs.

EVENTS TODAY (OCT. 8)

Vidu. M.R. Sudha

Vid. Manasa Nayana

Karnataka Ganakala Parishat, Bengaluru and Sri Ganapathy Sachchidananda Ashrama, Mysuru: Procession and valedictory of State-level Conventions of Senior and Young Music Scholars as part of 75th Vardhanti of Sri Ganapathy Swamiji, Vocal recital by **Vidu. M.R. Sudha** accompanied by Vid. H.V. Raghuram on violin, Vid. H.L. Shivashankaraswamy on mridanga and Vid. V.S. Ramesh on morching, **5 pm to 7 pm;** Vocal recital by **Vid. Manasa Nayana** accompanied by Vid. C.N. Tyagarajan on violin, Vid. A. Radhesh on mridanga and Vid. S. Manjunath on ghata, Nada Mantapa, Ashrama premises, Ooty Road, **7.15 pm to 9.15 pm.**

Ramsons Kala Pratishtana: Bombe Mane, an expo of exquisite dolls from across India, Pratima Gallery, #91, above Aamrapali Saree Store, Nazarbad Main Road, **up to 7.30 pm.**

JSS Mahavidyapeetha and Ministry of Textiles, New Delhi: Handicrafts Exhibition, JSS Mysore Urban Haat, Plot No. 432, Ring Road, Hebbal Industrial Area, **up to 9 pm.**

Impressionz: Expo-sum-sale of sarees, salwar suits, jewellery and home decor, Hotel Southern Star, **up to 8.30 pm.**

Mysore Grahakara Parishat (MGP): Monthly public meeting focusing on Consumer Protection Act and Consumer Courts, The Presidents of both the Consumer Courts (District Consumer Fora) operating in Mysuru, H.M. Shivakumara Swamy and M.S. Ramachandra, will interact with the audience, MGP office, 6/1, Vivekananda Road, Yadavagiri, **4 pm.**

Vid. Rakesh Sudheer

Rangavalli: 'Rangavalli Rangasambhrama' theatre festival, Classical Music Jugalbandhi - Flute: **Vid. Rakesh Sudheer,** Mandolin: Vid. C. Vishwanath, Mridanga: Vid. Tumkur B. Shashishankar, Ghata: Vid. Sharath Koushik., **4.30 pm;** Staging of play 'Marikadu' (written by Dr. Chandrashekhara Kambara) by Bhoomika, Haradi-Udupi, Kalamandira, **7 pm.**

Scene from play 'Marikadu'

Sri Raghavendraswamy Seva Samiti, Jayalakshmipuram: Discourse on 'Bhagavad Gita' by Pt. Sri Badarayanachar, Samiti premises, **5 pm to 6.30 pm.**

Sri Ramakrishna Ashrama: Swami Nityasthanandaji speaks on 'The Gospel of Sri Ramakrishna,' Ashrama premises, Yadavagiri, **6 pm.**

The Mohammed Rafi Foundation: Golden Era Musical Nite programme, Singers Suzy Thakur, Seema Chowdri, Megha Deshmukh, Basanti Saha, Sonia Sangha, Jaishree Shivkumar, Dr. Srinivas, Avvi Parkash, Sanjay Choudri, Mohammed Aslam, Kaleem Pasha and Harish Nair will perform, Jaganmohan Palace, **6 pm.**

Rangayana: Staging of play 'Shikari,' Bhoomigeeta, Rangayana premises, **6.30 pm.**

Memorial Programme: Programme in memory of late History Professor of University of Mysore Prof. K.S. Nanjundappa, senior journalist and *SOM* Features Editor N. Niranjan Nikam guest, littérateur Prof. C.P. Krishna Kumar presides, Hotel Kalyani, #120/1, Hebbal Industrial Area, Ring Road, near Bharat Cancer Hospital, **6.30 pm.**

Vidu. Premitha

Sanjeev Jena

Vasundhara Performing Arts Centre (VPAC): Pallavotsava-2017 — 31st Annual Festival of Indian Classical Music and Dance, Pakhawaj by **Roman Das, 6 pm;** Bharatanatyam by **Vidu. Premitha Ramesh** of Mysuru, **6.45 pm;** Odissi by **Sanjeev Kumar Jena** from Odisha, Sri Nadabrahma Sangeetha Sabha, JLB Road, **7.30 pm.**

EVENTS TOMORROW (OCT. 9)

Arsha Vidya Kendra: Study classes by Swami Chidrupananda Saraswathi on Upanishad, Prarthana Mandira, Chandramouleshwara Temple, V.V. Mohalla, **7 am;** Study classes by Swami Chidrupananda Saraswathi on Gita, Sadvidya Patashala, Narayana Sastry Road, **6.30 pm.**

The Department of Studies (DoS) in Ancient History and Archaeology, Manasagangothri, Mysuru and Department of Ancient History and Archaeology, Maharaja's College, Mysuru: Inauguration of three-day National Workshop on the theme "Temple Architecture and Iconography: In Sthapatis' Perspective" by Prof. Dayananda Mane, Acting Vice-Chancellor, University of Mysore (UoM), Prof. A. Sundara, retd. Professor, Department of Ancient History and Epigraphy, Karnatak University, Dharwad, delivers the keynote address, K. Dakshinamoorthy Sthapati, Managing Trustee, Vastu Vedic Research Foundation, Chennai and A.H. Harirama Shetty, Director, SDM Dharmothana Trust, Dharmasthala, guests of honour, Prof. B. Nagarajamurthy, Principal, Maharaja's College, special invitee, Prof. S. Nagaraju, retired Professor, Department of History, Central University, Hyderabad, presides, Seminar Hall, DoS in Chemistry, Manasagangothri, **10 am.**

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Department of Tourism and Hospitality Management, Pooja Bhagavat Memorial Mahajana Education Centre (PBMMEC) and Thinksonic Global Solutions: Inauguration of 'Soft Skills and Corporate Etiquettes,' PBMMEC Director Dr. C.K. Renukarya chief guest, Mahajana Education Society (MES) President R. Vasudevamurthy presides, MES Vice-President T. Muralidhar Bhagavat and Hon. Secretary Dr. Vijayalakshmi Muralidhar were present, MTA auditorium, **10.30 am.**

Karnataka Vichara Vedike, Mysuru and Hardwicke Educational Institutions: Launch of Prof. Besur Mohan Palegar's five books by Deepavali Kavigoshti, CSI-KSD Mangaluru Bishop Rev. Mohan Manoraj, doctor and writer Dr. K.M. Govindegowda speaks about the book, Hardwicke High School Prayer Hall, JLB Road, **11 am.**

Sri Raghavendraswamy Seva Samiti, Jayalakshmipuram: Discourse on 'Bhagavad Gita' by Pt. Sri Badarayanachar, Samiti premises, **5 pm.**

Dr. Rachitha

Kshitija

VPAC: Pallavotsava-2017 — 31st Annual Festival of Indian Classical Music and Dance, Tabla solo by **Kiran Yavagal** from Bengaluru, **6 pm;** Mohiniyattam by **Dr. Rachitha Ravi,** Thrissur, Kerala, **6.45 pm;** Bharatanatyam by **Kshitija Kasaravalli** from Bengaluru, Sri Nadabrahma Sangeetha Sabha, JLB Road, **7.30 pm.**

ISKCON: 'Damodara Deepotsava,' ISKCON premises, Jayanagar, **7.30 pm.**

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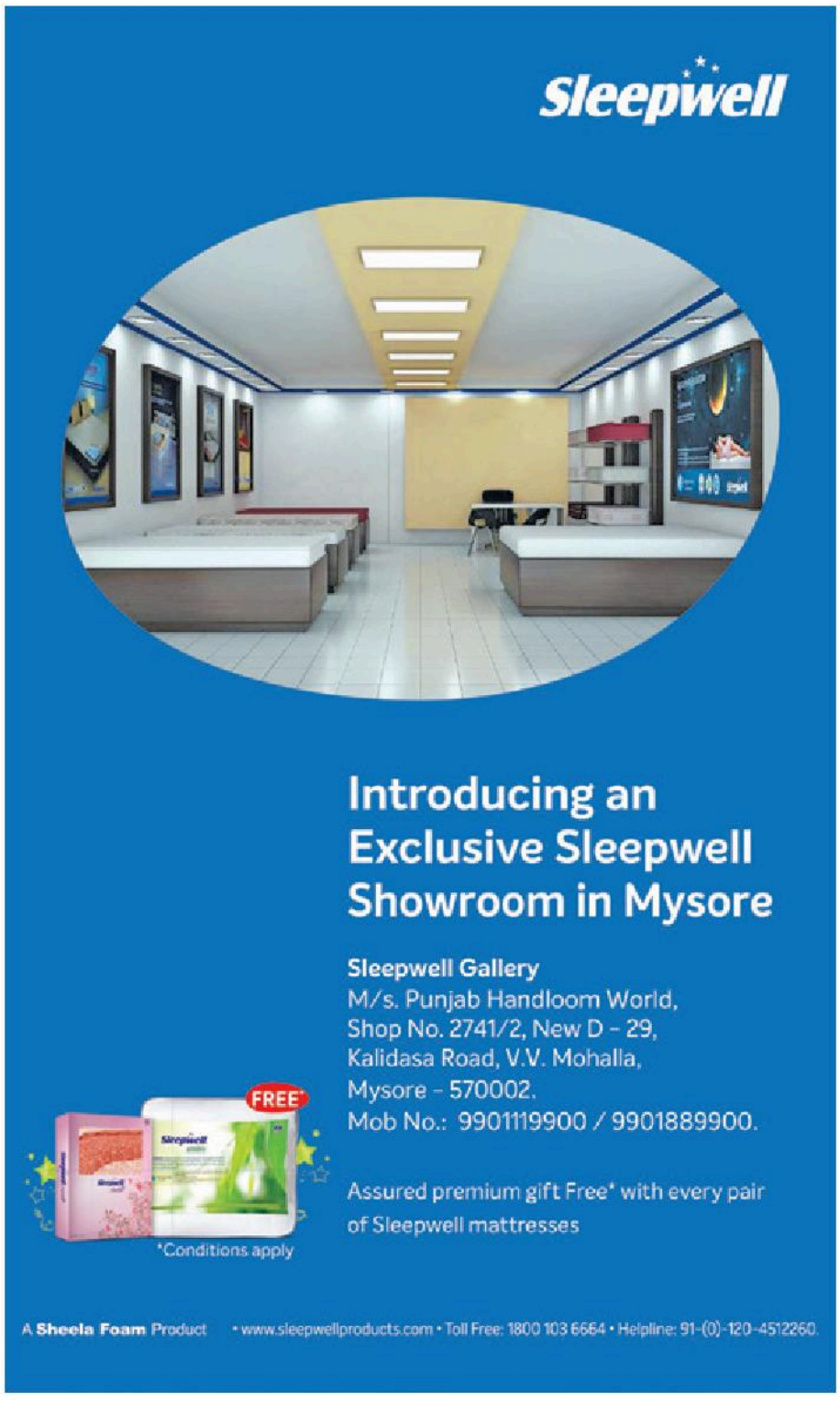
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